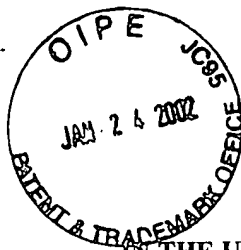


PATENT



Docket No. 727-002c

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Serizawa
Serial No. : 09/769,915
Filed : January 25, 2001
For : CONTROL METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
STABILIZING OPTICAL WAVELENGTH

Group Art Unit: 2877
Examiner: Armando Rodriguez

AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

HON. COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application.

☐ No additional fee is required.

☒ The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

| <u>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</u> | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------|-------------------|
| | Claims Remaining After Amendment | | Highest No. Covered by Previous Payments | Present Extra | Rate | Additional Fee |
| Total Claims* | 24 | - | 20 | =4 | 4x \$18.00 | \$ <u>72.00</u> |
| Independent Claims | 5 | - | 3 | =2 | 7x \$84.00 | \$ <u>168.0</u> |
| Multiple Dependent Claim(s) | (If claims added by amendment include Multiple Dependent Claim(s) and there was no Multiple Dependent Claim(s) in application before amendment add \$260.00 to additional fee.) | | | | | \$ <u>.00</u> |
| Total: | | | | | | \$ <u>240.00</u> |

☐ Verified Statement of "Small Entity" Status Under 37 CFR § 1.27
filed _____. Reduced Fees Under 37 CFR § 1.9(f)

* Includes all independent and single dependent claims and all claims referred to
in multiple dependent claims. See 37 C.F.R. § 1.75(c).

(50% of total) paid herewith.

\$ _____

☐ Charge fee to Deposit Account No. 19-2825 . Order No. _____
A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for this amendment, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.19-2825. Order No. 727-002C.
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☐ _____ Page(s) of substitute Sequence Listing

☐ _____ Computer disk(s) containing substitute Sequence Listing

☐ Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.825(b) that the computer and paper copies of the substitute Sequence Listing are the same.

☒ A check in the amount of \$ 240.00 to cover the filing fee is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Honorable Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sirs:

AMENDMENTS

Applicants submit these amendments and remarks in response to the Office Action dated

August 1, 2001. Replacement pages are attached hereto, illustrating the amended claims

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